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RE: Chemical Recovery Systems, Inc., 142 Locust Street, Elyria, Ohio 44035

Dear Ms. Sheppard-Johnson

This letter is in response to the June 26, 2001 letter from Wendy Carney, Chief Remedial Response Branch No.1, requesting potentially responsible parties at the above referenced site to indicate their willingness to participate in future negotiations concerning this site.

This firm represents Harry A. Thomas, a former shareholder of Adelphia, Incorporated aka Adelphia, Inc. (an Ohio corporation chartered in 1968 - Charter No. 378572 - changing its name to Harry A. Thomas, Inc. in 1988 and dissolved in 1990). While not admitting responsibility for any alleged disposal of waste at the site by Adelphia, Inc., our client is willing to participate in future negotiations at this site. We have been authorized to communicate with other potentially responsible parties to explore the formation of a steering committee to formally negotiate with your agency regarding this site.

Sincerely,

Victor R. Marsh

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\* In 1988 some of the assets of Adelphia, Incorporated were purchased by third parties who formed a new corporation called Adelphia, Inc. now owned by Forest City Technologies. Future correspondence or requests regarding activities of the Adelphia, Inc. which operated during the 1970's and early 1980's should be directed to the undersigned as legal counsel for Harry A. Thomas.

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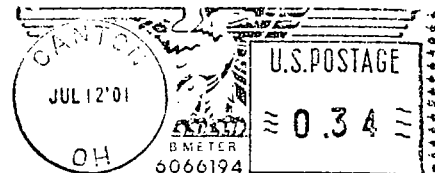
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